

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s) : James R. Zarian, et al.
 Application No. : 09/943,169
 Filed : August 30, 2001
 Title : **LINEAR LIGHTR FORM WITH LIGHT DIVERTING LAYER**
 Group/Division : 2874
 Examiner : Akm E. Ullah
 Our Reference : 021164-0021

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Enclosed is an amendment to the above-identified application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION OF SEPTEMBER 17, 2003

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Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed September 17, 2003, Applicant requests reconsideration of the above-referenced application in view of the amendments and remarks as set forth below.

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